

Hagerty, Karen H MVR

From: BrendaSueHal@aol.com
Sent: Sunday, December 29, 2002 9:13
To: Hagerty, Karen H
Subject: Muslim Youth Camp

Dear Ms. Hagerty,

This e-mail is in regards to the Muslim Youth Camps lease with the Corp of Engineers. It is stated by the Corp that there is no significant impacts to the environment. It is a concern that the following issues have not been addressed:

- 9-3 [Five acres of trees will be removed, along with wildlife habitat]
- 22-5 [- Traffic increase--which is said the road cannot handle the traffic by Johnson County]
- [Parking Requirements--5,000 to 10,000 annual participants--will need parking.]
- 13-2 [- Wastewater concerns]
- 21-6 [- Safety issues--added demand on local Fire, Police, and Emergency personnel.]
- 23-6 [- Light and noise pollution--205' x 70' lighted lodge]
- 2-5 [- Loss of public access--lessee can restrict land and shoreline access.]
- 20-1 [- Cost to Public--public to pay for road maintenance/fire/and police protection.]
- 16-3 [- Zonig--Lessee not required to comply with Johnson County ordinances?]

Thousands of dollars have obviously been spent on a very detailed Environmental Assessment. Why haven't we been shown any detailed blueprints of the proposed structures. It is difficult to give a biased opinion on the project, if we don't know how it will look.

Our forefathers formed a better government based on democratic voting by its citizens. Residents of Johnson County will be funding this project by increasing their taxes to upgrade roads. We should have a vote on how the Federal Government is spending our hard earned dollars.

6-1 [Why does the proposal of the Camp at Coralville Lake seem to be a Master Plan that is attempted to be controlled only by the Corp of Engineers? We feel that the Master Plan should include saving our forestry and wildlife.]
 2-8 [One idea would be to have the camp include only tents and a natural habitat environment to reside in.]
 Please save this land in Coralville Lake, so that whoever resides there, keeps it as sacred as it is now-----in 2002. I hope that you will consider these concerns when deciding what to do with this land, and we would appreciate a response from your office. We would like as much information as possible to be forwarded to us, so that we can keep up to date on the future of Camp Daybreak.

Sincerely,

Kevin and Brenda Haines